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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No. : 09/168,644
Applicant : Mark D. Conover
Filed : October 8, 1998
Title : ENCODING A STILL IMAGE INTO
COMPRESSED VIDEO
TC/A.U. : 2613
Examiner : Richard J. Lee

Confirmation No. 2742

Docket No. : 2134
Customer No.: 23320

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
Post Office Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a full and complete response to an Office Action dated September 30, 2005,, for the patent application identified above.

Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established for this application by a previously submitted verified statement.

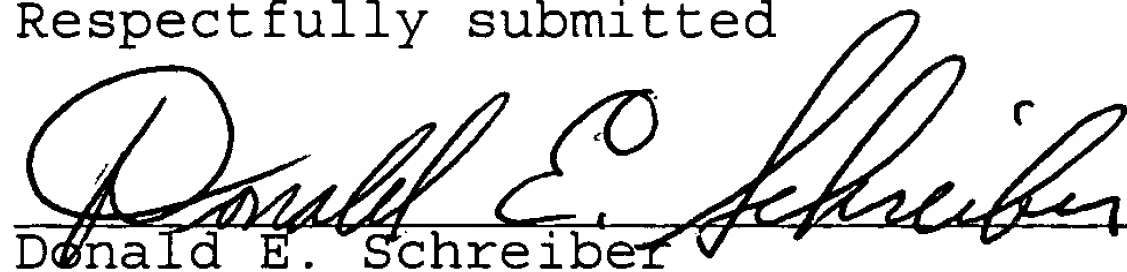
Applicant believes that no additional fee is required for filing the amendment set forth in the accompanying response.

Applicant hereby petitions for a one (1) month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action, and submits a check in the amount of \$60.00 in payment of the small entity fee for a one (1) month extension. If any additional extension of time is required to make this response timely, then pursuant to the relevant provision of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby conditionally petitions for an extension of time sufficient to make the response timely.

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Response Dated January 30, 2006
Reply to Office Action dated September 30, 2005,

If any additional fee is due, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any surplus in the enclosed fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0735. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted


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